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Re: Application of: CAUNTER

Serial No.: 10/771,994

Filed: 02/04/2004

For: **SIGNATURE TRANSPORT DEVICE**

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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July 24, 2009

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97, Applicant hereby makes of record the documents listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 Form (1 page) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. While the references are being submitted herewith some or all may not qualify as prior art under the U.S. patent laws. Also enclosed herewith is a courtesy copy of the Supplementary European Search Report from counterpart foreign application No. EP 05 72 6477 dated June 30, 2009.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (d).

Applicant states under §1.97 (e)(2) that no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the

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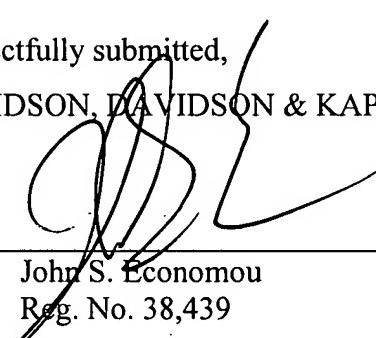
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information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

Herewith respectfully submitted is a check in the amount of \$180.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.17 (p).

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It is respectfully requested that the references cited in the accompanying PTO-1449 form be considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,
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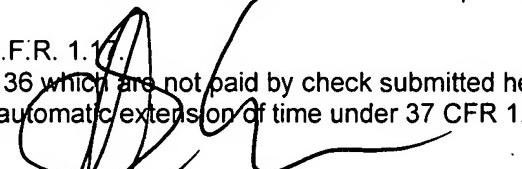
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In re application of: **Nicholas J. CAUNTER**
Serial No.: 10/771,994
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Supplemental IDS with PTO 1449 (3 pages) and Cited References** in the above-identified application.

- [X] Also transmitted herewith are:
[] Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
[X] Other: **Copy of EP Search Report EP 05 72 6477 dated 6/30/2009**
- [X] Check(s) in the amount of **\$180.00** is/are attached to cover:
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- [X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
- [X] Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
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